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The Daily Republican.

MONDAY EVENING, AUGUST 4, 1879.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

92 in the shade at 8 p. m.
Lecture costs at B. Stine's 21-4f
COUNCIL meeting to-night.

LADIES, call on Miss A. Miller for fash-

ionable millinery.

NIAGARA FALLS and return, only \$7.50.

NOVELTIES in fine Scotch cassimere

suits at B. Stine's may 21-4f

Go to Niedermeyer's, on the mound, for

fresh family groceries and horse feed.

Nick bright baled hay at Ham &

Black's feed store on Prairie street.

All kinds and styles of wall-paper and

curtain goods at Abel & Locke's, cheap.

Cash paid for Endowment Life Insur-

ance Policies Address WILLIAM COX,

Broker, Peoria, Ill.

Aug 1-4dwt

Don't walk to the depot when you can

ride in the St. Nick bus for five cents.

If you want to go away at night leave or-

ders at the hotel for the carriage.

STYLISH CARPETS for the million at

Abel & Locke's mammoth establishment

on East Main street. Prices always as

low as the lowest.

BEN TAYLOR is at every train with his

new carriage. Orders left at Armstrong's

drug store always receive prompt atten-

tion.

Don't go past W. C. Armstrong's drug

store when you want a cool drink. His

soda water is always cold.

The newly elected officers of Decatur

Lodge of Good Templars will be installed

this evening. We are requested to urge a

full attendance of the membership.

The memorial stone of the Kankakee

Inland Hospital will be laid with proper

ceremonies on the 13th of August. Gov.

Calton and other dignitaries are expected

to be present.

Two streets were thronged with farmers

on Saturday, and the merchants generally

did a rushing business. The good times

are returning.

A BEAUTIFUL selection of chromos, just

come; they are splendidly framed, very

attractive and cheap—at the Cheap Store.

Aug 1-4f

FOR RENT—A dwelling house of eight

rooms on West Wood street. House re-

cently overhauled and fitted up nicely.

Clean and well water on the premises.

Apply to M. Forstner, at the county

Jail.

NIAGARA FALLS and return, only \$7.50.

THE manufacturing firm of Kramer &

McChellan sold four buggies and two car-

riages last Saturday. Four of the vehicles

were purchased by farmers, which shows

where part of the wheat money is going.

THE second week of the Macon county

Teachers' institute opened this morning,

with a number of additions to the roll.

Owing to sickness in his family the

superintendent, Mr. John Trainer, was

Love in August.

A large gathering of the friends and ac-

quaintances of the contracting parties as-

sembled at the Catholic church on Sun-

day afternoon to witness the marriage of

Miss PATRICK NEILSEN, of Lake City, and

Mr. MAJOR BENNETT, of this city. The

ceremony was performed by the pastor,

Rev. Father Mackin, in his usual im-

pressive manner. The bride was beauti-

fully attired in a light-colored pongee

silk, with brown silk trimmings, and wore

a stylish hat trimmed in blue. In 1871 the

bride took the white veil, and said that

in two years from that time she would

take the black veil, and pass the remain-

der of her days in a nunnery. In '73 as a

Sister of Charity, she cared for the sick

at Mobile, Ala., remaining there two years.

During her sojourn at that place she con-

tracted the yellow fever, but recovered.

For five years she served as a Sister of

Charity, caring for the sick and dying and

performing deeds of kindness wherever

she happened to be. She has been in the

convents at Springfield, Alton, St. Louis,

St. Joseph, Mo., and Mobile, and was

known as "Sister Agnes." For reasons

best known to herself she never took the

black veil, which would have cut her off

from the world and its pleasures forever,

and finally severed her connection with

the Sisters of Charity in '76, and came

here from St. Louis. She is still a devout

Catholic, and is one of the most regular

attendants at the church services. Mr.

Neilsen is a justice of the peace and a

property owner at Lake City, Ill., on the

Illinois Midland railway. A reception

was tendered the newly married couple at

the residence of the bride's widowed

mother, on South Franklin street, last

evening. Mr. and Mrs. Neilsen will re-

side at Lake City, and take with them

the best wishes of their friends for their

future happiness.

Temperance at the Tabernacle.

There was the usual large attendance,

good singing, and good order, at the tem-

perance meeting at the tabernacle on

Saturday evening. Rev. N. S. Haynes

delivered an able address on the meaning

and needs of prohibition, and spoke for

about 15 minutes. Probably no other

gentleman in Decatur works harder for

the advancement of the temperance cause

than does Mr. Haynes. He is for temper-

ance in all things, and he is positive that

the manufacture and sale of intoxicating

liquors ought to be forever and ever pro-

hibited. At the conclusion Mr. Josiah Espy,

formerly of Harrisburg, Penn., late of

Galesburg and Groveland, now of Decatur,

the eccentric gentleman who occasionally

furnishes our readers with quaint no-

verses, arose, and with the usual stunn-

STRIKING LABORERS.

The Workmen at Fred. Mattes' Brickyard De-

mand an Increase of 12 1-2 Cents a Day.

or They Won't Do Another Lick

of Work.

The off-bearers, temperers and mud-

wheelers at Fred. Mattes' brickyard,

southeast of the city, have been working

all spring and summer for \$1.12 1-2 a

day. This morning the ten laborers as-

sembled at the yard at 8:30 o'clock, but

they had previously resolved on not work-

ing unless their employer increased their

wages to \$1.25 a day, and stood idly

around until 6 o'clock, when they made

known their demands. Mr. Mattes re-

plied that he would pay as much as Con-

rad Ammann would, and refused to say an-

other word. The strikers then went to

Ammann's brickyard, east of Harpsville &

Shlaudeman's brewery, and held a con-

sultation with the laborers there. Ammann's

employees have been receiving \$1.12 1-2

a day, and said they wouldn't do an-

other day's work until their wages were

increased to \$1.25 per day. They promised

to meet Mattes' men up town this after-

noon, and thus the matter stands at

present. Mattes has contracted to furnish

several hundred thousand brick for

residences now being erected for J. W.

Race, Mayor Hawthorn and D. S. Shella-

barger, and the unexpected action of his

men has placed him in an embarrassing

position, especially as he has but one kiln

of brick now on hand. The workmen say

that he has been selling brick to farmers

at \$7.00 per thousand, and in large

quantities at \$5.50. They think their

employers can afford to increase their pay

to \$1.25 a day, and still make money.

"They claim that their work is very labori-

ous, and that their demands are reasonable

and just.

A Sad Affliction.

It is with feelings of unfeigned sorrow

that we chronicle the fact that Mrs. Car-

ney, the young wife of Mr. Arthur E. Kin-

ney, was partially paralyzed last Sunday

morning at 3 o'clock. About two weeks

ago she gave birth to a son, and was slow-

ly recovering from her confinement, when

she took cold last Monday evening from

the sudden change in the temperature of

the atmosphere. It will be remembered

that a wind storm amounting almost to a

tornado visited this section of the county.

The doors of Mr. Kinney's residence were

open that evening, but were closed as

speedily as possible. Mrs. Kinney grew

worse from that day, and on last Sunday

morning, as above stated, her entire left

side was paralyzed. Everything is being

done for her that human skill and expe-

rience can suggest, but so far there is no

change for the better. Her condition is

very critical, and it will be a miracle if

she recovers. Drs. S. J. Bumstead, J. N.

Randall and W. J. Chenoweth held a con-

FINALE OF THE DEKOROUS BAND.

Religious Services at "Camp De Korum" To-

day—Closing Session of Last Even-

ing—Personal Notes, Etc.

"Farwell" a word that must be, and hath been—

A word which maketh us linger—yet—farewell.

Yes, the band of campers at "Camp De

Korum," who have been enjoying life in

the woods near Rea's bridge, since

last Monday, have disbanded for the

season of 1879, and have spoken

their last farewells to the big forest

trees, the grassy sward, the birds, the

fishes, the hooting owls, beetles, caterpil-

lars and affectionate mosquitoes. The

following letters from our faithful cor-

respondent picture the closing scenes:

CAMP DE KORUM.

SATURDAY EVENING, Aug. 2, '79.

This has been the warmest day of the

campaign, yet a cool breeze has never

failed to make the "Parlor and Library"

of the camp delightful resorts. This

evening we are enjoying the society of the

usual number of visitors. Miss Amy

Gillette and Ollie Oglesby have "joined

the meeting," and will henceforth be per-

manent denizens of the camp. Gov. and

Mrs. Oglesby, Mr. and Mrs. Park, Mr. and

Mrs. C. Imboden, Miss Bettie Eburn, Mrs.

Fanny Sedgwick, Messrs. H. Cloyd, J.

Coop, W. Bashforth, G. Challa, E. W.

Ing, S. Johns, E. Judson and F. Roach are

among the visitors. The "moon shines

bright," and the concert programme in-

creases in variety. Mosquitoes are plenty

but "Pond's extract" is plenty also, and

is a perfect antidote for the poison of

mosquitoes.

SUNDAY EVE., August 3.

The threatening clouds have created

some little panic in camp this afternoon,

but the air is cooled by the wind and

everything is comfortable. Our church

this afternoon was a grand old "temple

not made with hands," and never did the

evening service of the Episcopal church

seem to me so impressive and beautiful.

Rev. Moore took for his subject the

teachings of Christ in the wilderness, and

was listened to with earnest attention by

an audience of about 75 persons.

The camp will "break" to-morrow, and

this is probably my last letter. The ex-

periment has proved an entire success.

Nothing has occurred to mar the harmony

of the little band. Friends have been

kind, and "all the delicacies of the sea-

son" have been supplied from day to day

by inviting friends. No cooking was

done in camp, and the girls did not "accept

invitations," but fed the multitude in the

wilderness, the miraculous addition to

their loaves and fishes being supplied by

Mrs. J. R. Race and Mrs. Gov. Oglesby,

to both of whom the girls are indebted for

